

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Krebs et al.

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RESPONSE

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action of May 30, 2006, kindly consider the following remarks: